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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

#### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$378.
  - \$252 for 28 total claims over 20.
  - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 813.

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# PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the pa	tent application o	f: Michael (	C. LaRocco et al.
Entitled: "Method of Partially Embeddin Impregnated with a Thermopl	ng Non-Woven Fi astic Resin and C	ber Mat to Reinfor omposition Theref	rcing Fibers rom"
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Claims $\underline{6}$ $-3 = \underline{3}$	x \$ 42.00	x \$ 84.00	\$ <u>126.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim/s	+ \$140.00	+ \$280.00	\$ 0.00
Basic Fee	+ \$370.00	+ \$740.00	\$ <u>370.00</u> \$ <u>65.00</u>
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A check in the amount of fee.  X The Commission additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.17 associated with this communi any overpayment to Deposit Account No An original and two copi	ner is hereby author CFR 1.16 or pater cation to Deposit o. 23-0650.	orized to charge part application proce Account No. 23-06 e enclosed.	yment of any essing fees under 37 650. Please refund
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PATENT APPLICATION Serial No. 10/072,801 Attorney Docket No. 3617-011765

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Michael C. LaRocco et al.

METHOD OF PARTIALLY EMBEDDING

NON-WOVEN FIBER MAT TO

Serial No. 10/072,801

REINFORCING FIBERS IMPREGNATED

WITH A THERMOPLASTIC RESIN AND

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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania April 30, 2002

# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

BOX MISSING PARTS Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application mailed April 12, 2002, attached hereto are the following documents for filing in the above-identified United States patent application.

- 1. A Patent Application Transmittal Letter in triplicate for purposes of calculating the filing fee;
  - 2. the required executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to BOX MISSING PARTS Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on April 30, 2002.

- 3. the required copy of the above-mentioned "Notice" to be returned with the response;
- 4. a check in the amount of \$813.00 to cover the filing fee, additional claims and surcharge fee; and

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and two copies of this Letter are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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